

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Papplication of: Floyd H. Chilton

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ARACHIDONIC ACID METABOLISM

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is submitted as a response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of January 21, 2005, the due date for response for which is February 21, 2005. This paper is thus believed to be timely filed. No fees are believed to be due with the filing of this paper, however, should any fees be deemed to be due for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the required fees from Vinson & Elkins LLP deposit account 22-0365/WAK200/4-009(A)(8). Entry of the following amendment and reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.